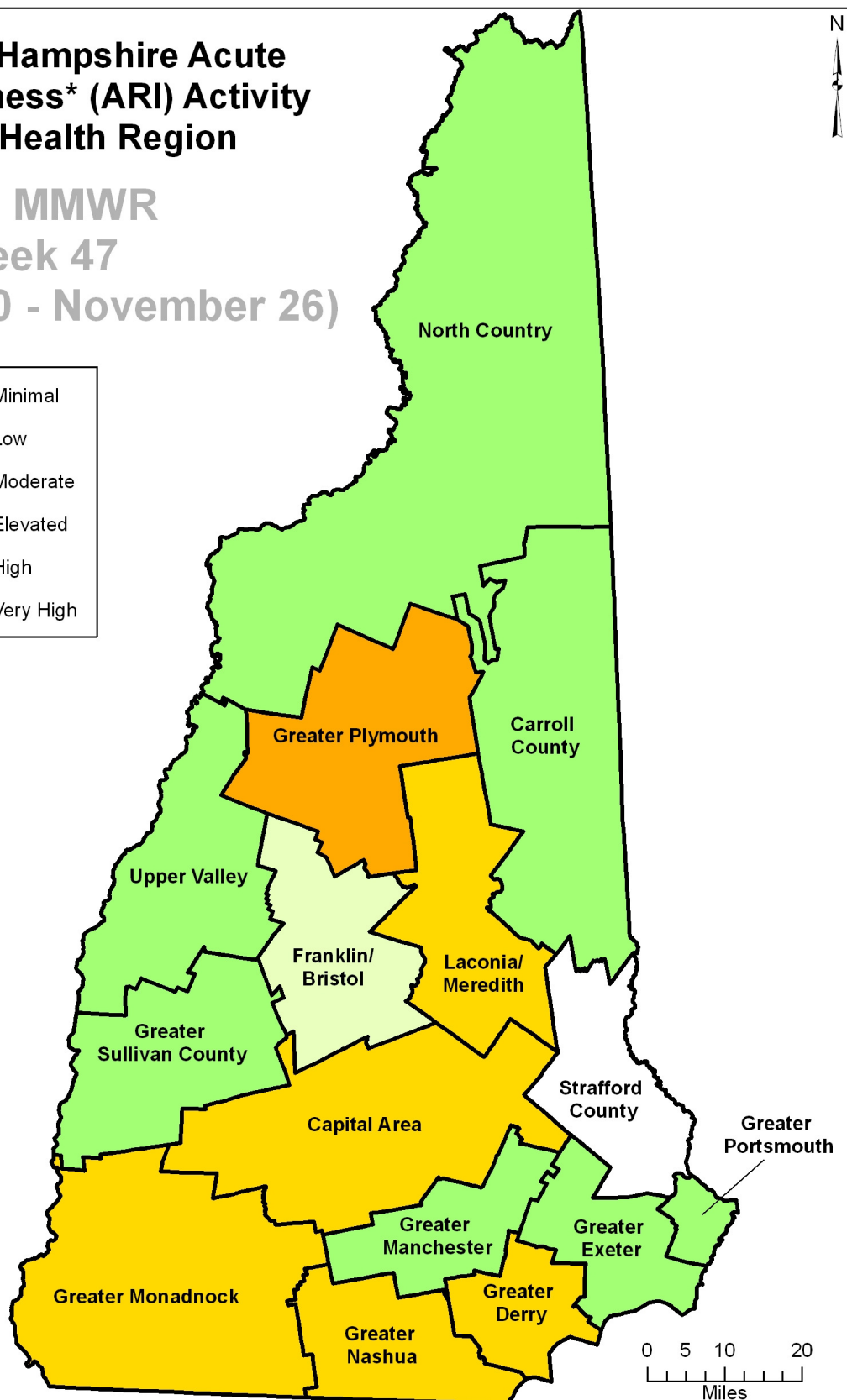


State of New Hampshire Acute Respiratory Illness* (ARI) Activity by Public Health Region

2011 MMWR

Week 47

(November 20 - November 26)



Data is derived from New Hampshire AHEDD surveillance reports based on chief complaint text of emergency department encounters from 26 hospitals statewide for the time frame indicated.

*Acute Respiratory Illness or ARI includes chief complaint text values of either fever/cough, or fever/sore throat, or flu (includes flu, influenza, flu like symptoms, etc.), or respiratory infection (includes URI, LRI), or bronchitis, or viral infection, or pneumonia, or pharyngitis, or sinusitis, or otitis media.

**Public Health Region-specific ARI & ARI Activity
Determinations for MMWR Week 47 2011**

Public Health Region	Threshold	ARI Week 47	ARI Rating
Capital Area	1.8	2.2	elevated
Carroll County	7.6	4.7	moderate
Franklin/Bristol	2.5	1.0	low
Greater Derry	2.6	2.8	elevated
Greater Exeter	2.7	2.6	moderate
Greater Manchester	6.8	5.8	moderate
Greater Monadnock	4.1	4.3	elevated
Greater Nashua	0.9	1.1	elevated
Greater Plymouth	2.0	3.6	high
Greater Portsmouth	3.0	1.7	moderate
Greater Sullivan County	3.5	1.6	moderate
Laconia/Meredith	4.3	4.4	elevated
North Country	3.5	1.9	moderate
Strafford County	2.4	0.3	minimal
Upper Valley	3.9	3.0	moderate